

wee might expres owr Loyaltie and allegiance to his Maiestie wee thearfor the Gouvernour and Councill of this Prouince of Mariland and other his maiesties Royall subiects hear Present by the speciall order and Authoritie of the Right Honorable th^e Lord Proprietarie of this Prouince doe according to owr duty and allegiance hartily ioyfullie and unanimously acknowledge and Proclaime that immediatly upon the decease of owr late Souerainge Lord King Charles the Imperiall Crown of the Realme of England and of all the kingdoms Dominions and Rites belonging to the same did by inherant birth Right and lawful and undoubted Succession Discend and come to his most Excellent Maiesty Charles the Second as biing linneally iustly and Lawfully next heire of the blood Royall of this Realme and that by the goodnes and Prouidence of Almighty God hee is of England Scotland france and Ireland the most Potent Mightie and undoubted King defendor of the fayth &^e and thear unto wee most humbly and faythfullie do submite and oblige owr selues owr heirs and Posterities for euer dated the 19th of Nouember A^o 1660

Liber A

God Saue the Kinge and the Lord Proprietarie
Philip Caluert

Charles R

Copia Vera

Trusty & wel beloued wee greet you well whearas it appears to us by seuerall depositions th^t on Josias Fendall Late Gouvernour under the Lord Baltemor in owr Prouince of Mariland hath rayسد a faction within the sayd Prouince against the sayd Lord Baltemors Rights and iurisdictions thear Wee thearfor at the humble request of the sayd Lord Baltemor to Protect him in his iust Rights doe hearby will and requir you and euery of you to bee ayding and assisting to his officers in settelling his iurisdictions thear as it was in January last according to his Patten of the sayd Prouince from owr Royall father of Blessed Memorie whear in you shall doe us acceptable Saruice giuen at owr Court at Whithall this third day of July one thowsand six hundered and sixty in the twelwe year of owr Reigne

Locus Sigilli

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By his Maiesties Command

To the Gouvernour and Councill of
Virginia and all Captaynes and
Masters of ships trading to
Mariland and to all Magistrats
and officers and other owr sub-
iects in thos Parts

Edward Nicholas
Concordat Verbatim cum suo
originali Quod attestor Ro-
gatus et Requisitus

Jo^{es} Daniell
Notarius Publicus

Hanc veram Copiam Copiae verae esse
testimonium facit Georgius Thompsonus
Rotulorum Custos

1660

A Proclamation by the Gouvernour of Mariland

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Whearas Josias Fendall hath Contrarie to his Trust Rayسد sedi-
tion within this Prouince endeuoring as much as in him lay, the Dis-

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